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DECATUR, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1877.

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A star above the steeple-top, In twilight but a feeble spark Is hanging as the shadows drop, And brighter burns as comes the dark.

Let not your courage from you go When common trouble draw you down; Your face that now is white for wor-With sunny joy may yet be brown.

Be pure in heart, in peace or pain; Obco the still small voice that calls; The star above the steeple-vane Shines stronger as the darkness falls.

Hope, like a dlamond in the coal, Shall shine, however black the night; Keep well your eyes unto the god, And do not fire, but trust and fight. Because the path has led your feet. To places bleak and bare with hlight.

Seek not for safety in retreat; Still forward go, and look for light. And if in vain you seek a ray
Of sun to break the clouds of sorrow,
Still fight it out—work well to-day,
And do not fear about to-morrow

FASHION NOTES,

Dolmans are still fashionable, but half-litting jackets are selected by

The latest ornament for hangles is a tiny gold toy, shaped like a chicken's

Double-breasted and diagonal fronts re popular for all kinds of street and

Steinkerk erayats, which first came

nto favor in Europe in 1692, are to be fashionable this fall. "India" lace, made of the same mate-

dresses, and silk and cushmere wrans. Elegant "embrossed" galloons, with silk or satiu backgrounds, on which the most beautiful raised patterns are described in velvet, are among the latest novelties.

The newest imported kid gloves are embroidered on the seams with five rows of heavy chain stitching in silk to match, or in colors.

THE WONDERLAND OF MONTANA

A correspondent of the Idaho States-man, writing from the National Park, on the Yellowstone, under the date of September 11, says: "For the past three days we have been teveling in the wonders of this Platonic region. On every ode we have had springs hot and cold. clear and muddy; mountains of pure sulphur, geysers throwing water 250 feet high, of all shapes sizes and variations. Right here, within two hundred yards, the thing varies a little; for instead of water oozing from mounds built up by the sodimentary deposit of ages, they are funnel-like caldrons fifty feet from the surface. There is one that, looking down into it, appears to be--and I think is—a subterranean river. It is as wide as the Boise river, and the bubbling, seething noise it kicks up is almost terrifying. It is very moddy, and from the appearance of the trees for 500 yards around, and the wetness of the surface, it must occasionally spout-to an immense height. Not far away, at what appears to be the entrance of a cavern, is another boiling spring like the other, rolling out in waves from a vast hole. It is scalding hot, beautifully lear, but very sulphurous. The rocks around the entrance are covered with a soft sediment of various dark brilliant colors, on which many names are written. Of course we added ours.

SARATOGA FRIED POTATOES.

The tools are a common cabbage cutter, two wire seives and a spider. Take, say eight large potatoes, pare them and slice very thin with the cutter, soak the slices for two hours in cold water; stir into it one tenspoonfull of salt to a quart, and let thom remain half an hour in that. Pour them into the seive to drain, and when well-drained wipe the hot put in the putatoes. They must be constantly stirred to prevent the pieces from adhering to one another, and until they are sufficiently brown to make your mouth water, when they should be served at once.

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The Patent Comfort Corsets, for ladies and children, Bortrees' Adjustable Duplex Corset, Madam Foy's Skirt Supporter Corsets, Moody's Abdominal Corsets, Hove Fitting Corsets, the Hundred Bone ogether with the largest and best assortment of French Corsets in the city, very Linn & Beruggs'. cheap at Mme. Demorest's Fall and Winter

(Sept. 7-d&wtf Call for Catalogue. The Indiana Coul. Company delivers

Little Sasie, looking at some pictures of winged angels, exclaimed: "Manima. I don't want to be an angelf" "Why not, dear?" "Humph! leave off my pretty clothes, and wear feathers like a

to me painful. Of course you are familiar with Bunyan?" He said he had one on each foot, and they troubled him a good deal."

rial as llama lace, is a new garniture for Two trishmen were recently looking at people stretching a rope from one an its a submarine telegraph they're afther puttin' up. 1 suppose, answered

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The prizes will be put on exhibition during the month of September, the drawing to take place the first of January

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New York Graphic

"Why," asked Plato of Socrates, as they languidly arose from the symposium and walked up the Appian way, "why is a hay dog like a sheet of pa-per?" Secrates thoughtfully rubbed his car and said; "seems to use I've heard that before somewhere." "Well old anthropos, guess it, itte respondit quickly," Socrates made several futile attempts, turning the pun on the words "write," "canis," etc., when Plato became impatient and told him, "Because it's a slow pap." "Yes," said Soc., "I've heard it before, but I don't tumble to it now, some way. How's a sheet of paper a slow pup?" Plato smiled and remarked, "You'd better swap off that old punkin head of yours; a sheet of paper is an ink-lined plane. isn't it!—and an inclined plane is a slope up, perhaps you see!" Then they walked slowly to the Keller, and Socrates remarked in a pensive tone.

He was making a call, and they were talking of literature. The Pilgrim's Progress." she remarked, calways seems

house-top to another for the purpose of suspending a banner. "Sure an' what will they be afther a-doin' at the top of thim houses there?" Pataskel. "Faith.

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Just look here at this coat's lapel, How exceful it is pressed, And then that real artistic work On this, your elegant vest.

Friend Schneider, all this fits you well As though they were made to order; I suppose you did not buy them here— Bought them beyond our border ? Then I confess, for many years

Among the many suits we bought Found nothing near as choice. Big prices, too, I had to pay, The biggest ones that ruled; Yet when we came to wear the stuff,

Myself and all my boys,

Friend Schneider, please to tell me quick, Who makes this goods so nicely, And if it is not too far from here I will buy the same precisely.

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THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER II, 1877.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

For County Judge. SAMPEL E GREER. GEORGE P. HARDY. Por County Treasurer, GEORGE M. WOOD. For Superintendent Schools, JOHN T. MONTGOMERO.

OUR NEW, DRESS,

Tu-day the REPUBLICAN is printed on new type. It has, strictly speaking, a bran new dress throughout sas an es-1 emed cotemporary once said with reference to the obstume of a bride. The life. They exist in every town of any body and display type, the column and head rules, the dashes, the leads - all are new. Few people are aware of the labor and expense attending such a change, and few, therefore, can appreciate the feelings of the publisher, who | Notwithstanding the multiplicity of looks upon an new dress" as one of the important eras of his experience. The to be found in nearly every household readers of the REPUBLICAN, however, in the land, there is a wide diversity of will not be slow to perceive the change in the appearance of the paper, and if they have the opportunity of seeing composition, and what features properly many new-papers they will not dispute belong to it. Probably this diversity of the assertion that ours has as bandsome. and bright and clean a face as any in-

The old type which we throw uside to day has done duty through a stirring period in our history. It has related the story of famine abroad and pestitence at home. It has recorded from day to day the progress of a political that take possession of some of the men contest which for a time threatened to enhante in armed rebellion. It has blackened the clean white sheet with narratives of crime -of murder, thelt. arson, robbery, defidentions, official and Teasance, and the maltitude of other sins that seem to flourish best in a period of financial depression. It has serv ed to tell how fortunes have been wiped out of existence by that pitiless thing entled "shrinkage of values," and it has spelled out the word "bankrupt" almost as frequently as may other dissyllable in the language. Let us elserish the hope that the types which stake ink" for the first time to day may be worn out in telling the story of peace and good will, of health and happiness, of prosperity

NEW PRESSES.

Besides being printed on new type the Republican is printed on a new press, set up only a few weeks ago This press is one of Porter's Extra Heavy Presses, candogued as a "2 roller No. 4." and is the most complete and expensive press in Central Illinois. To our job department we have also added a superb new press, called the "Centen nial Nonparcil" which has proven itself

to be first class in every respect. The improvements we have made in our office, in the way of presses, type, and other new material, have necessitated an outlay of over \$3,000,but we have an abiding faith in the people of Deca- whose patronage he lives. And this the, who have never yet failed to appre lides is by no means the offspring of any- which supplies them with goods at repay us for our investments and labors by bestowing upon as a very liberal share of their patronage. We entertain no fews concerning the result of our latest venture. And right here, and now, is as good a time as any for us to In make our acknowledgments to the people of Decatur and Mason county for the very liberal patronage and flattering encouragement bestowed on us during the past ten years. And these acknowledgements are not due to a single class of people only; we owe them to all, for the proudest satisfaction that we enjoy is that our friends and patrons are not confined to any one political party, to any one church, nor to any one nationality. Some of the very best patrons we have are staunch. Democrats, whose political opinions we have combatted ns well as we knew how, but who are not foolish enough to carry their polities into their business. It has been our aim to treat everybody fairly and respectfully, and while claiming for ourselves and conceding to others the very widest latitude in matters of opinion, we have tried not to lose sight of the fact that "business is business." We are satisfied that this is the true rule of action, and do not insend to depart from it. In the future we shall endeavor to merit the good will of the people, in no less degree than we have in the past, trusting that our efforts will be appreciated, and that we shall have as much reason to be grateful to the good people of this visinity in 1887 as we have in this year of grace.

IT a a comfort to know that the Prosident was not surprised by the result of the Ohio election. It is a real satisfaction to learn that Mr. Hayes is so much

WHAT IS A NEWSPAPERU

The newspaper era in this country came in with the war. Previous to that time there were a few great leading journals which monopolized the attention of the reading public, and the country press found but little favor. But the war gave a stimulus to the newspaper reading class which has culminated in a demand for better home journalsthose which, in addition to their general character in the way of news, should be specially devoted to local interests. This demand has called into being a class of journals entirely different from the country new spaper of twenty years ago, and still not so pretentious as the great metropolitan sheet. Papers of this class have spring up all over the country, and to-day constitute an important feature of our social and business size, and are read by hundreds of thousands of people.

It is this class of newspapers to which we have reference in the query which stands at the head of this article. newspapers, and the fact that they are opinion as to what constitutes a newspaper - what elements enter into its opinion is in some degree owing to the fact that what is news to one individual is the veriest nonsense to another, and what interests one person may serve to put his neighbor to sleep. It is easy, however, to make allowance for these diverse notions, but it is not so simple a matter to account for the idiosyneracies who make newspapers for a living. Λ local paper, one would naturally suppose, ought to have an eye single to the interests of the people among whom it circulates. It should

"Be to their faults a little blind, And to their virtues very kind.",

That is, it should not needlessly magnify their faults nor cry down their virtues. It should go out of its way, even, to say a good word for the place and the people that contribute to its support. If the community is dereliet in any important matter it should not besitate to say so, and in terms plain enough to be understood. but the newspaper which constantly upbraids the people of its town, and contimually holds them up to the scorn of the world, is as blameworthy as is the man who takes a victors delight in telling his visitors what a miserable woman he has for a wife. He who habitually scolds his family in the presence of company is looked upon with contempt by all generous-minded people, and the man who spreads abroad the shorteomings of his town through the columns of his newspaper is no higher in the scale of gentility, and is entitled to no more respect than the base-minded wretch to whom we have just compared him. It is a good thing for the newspaper man to remember the old saw, "always praise the bridge that has carried you sufe over the stream;" he should always have a good word for the people by per acre, and now, although only four thing like mere sycophancy. It is the practical application, rather, of the gold-

The newspaper should not be arrogant. It renders itself open to just criticism and deserved contempt by claiming for itself an influence which it possesses not, and by arrogating to itself the credit for everything good that is done it raises in the public mind grave doubts as to whether it has any influence --whether its claims to recognition are not all more windy assumptions. The power of a well-conducted newspaper cummt be questioned, but that power comes not from frequent boastings. It is the outgrowth, rather, of the continued but quiet effort, whose influence grows imperceptibly because of its unostentations persistence. Akin to this objectionable exhibition of acrogance, if, indeed, it is not the very essence of the thing itself, is "the editorial WE." There are but few newspaper readers who have not turned in disgust from the column in which the editor slings around so recklessly his "first person plural. A decent knowledge of the proprieties of life should serve to teach almost any man that egotism is not considered an evidence of good souse, and the too frequent "we" in print is as annoying to sensible people as is the too frequent "I" in conversation. It may be humiliating to acknowledge, but it is nevertheless a fact, that there are not many people who give a fig for what thee think," or what the be-Heve," or even what "nee know."

A newspapor is not necessarily obliged to print in its columns everything its editor hears or learns, nor is it in duty hound to make of itself the conduit pipe through which every man in the community may convey his slime. One

of the most prevalent ideas is that anyone who may have a revenge to gratify can do so by writing down everything mean he knows about his enemy, and outting it in the paper,"-always over fictitions signature. Every man who has had experience in the publication of a newspaper knows how frequent are applications of this nature, and all who have tried it know how speedily the application is withdrawn when the writer is told that it can only be published over his own proper signature. It invariably cures the desire to slander somebody when the slanderer is advised to do so on his own responsibility, instead of hiding behind the editor. The man who seeks to thus stab his adversary, while the editor stands between him and danger, displays a selfishness of spirit that ought never to be gratified, but what shall be said of the newspaper that will permit itself to be made the vehi de for the dissemination of anonymons spite!

It may be said that we are not answering the question with which we started out. A well-known divine once gave this receipe for making good coffee: Find out how it is made at the average boarding house, and then don't make it that way. If we have not pointed out the elements which consti-Into a newspaper, we have at least told some of the features which should not characterize it. The subject is almost illimitable in its scope, and will bear further consideration at some future

MURAY HALSTEAD, as he crawled est from under that 25,000 democratic majority yesterday morning, was heard to matter something very much like "d-- the dollar of our daddies."

Cour in and see our new presses and

The Democrats and the President.

(Washington Letter to Philadelphia Star.) Congressmen are coming in slowly, most of the arrivals so far being Demoerats from the South. These gentlemon are in high spirits over the effect of the President's policy South. They no somer arrive than they go immediately to the White House to congratulate and flatter his Excellency, and to suggest the appointment to office of some good Democrat -- I should say, conservative. In asking office of Mr. Hayes there is a barshness about the word Democrat that [s almost offensive, so the term Conservative is substituted.

THE correspondent of the Springfield Republicata at Beirut writes, "You will perhaps be surprised to learn that all the reliable news that we have from the seat of war comes to us through English newspapers received eight or nine days after their publication in London. The telegraph lines are in the hands of Turks, and nothing unfavorable to their cause is allowed to pass out of their office. Such reports as these: "Seventyfive thousand Russians killed and only me Turk," "St. Petersburg taken prisoner, and Siberia and his wife made to serve in the Sultan's kitchen," are actually spread abroad and believed by the ignorant classes.

A Swiss colony of 115 families, in 1873, purchased 10,000 acres of land on Cumberland mountain, Tennessee, at \$1 years have clapsed, each family has a comfortable home. They have a store wholesale prices. They have dairies and cheese factories, whose products find a ready sale at fancy prices, and they have splendid herds of cuttle.

Mr. Bristow is to be minister to England Lt is a case of "the foreigner the better;" but we have an idea that if the fact had been known a few days earlier it might have added another ten thousand to the Democratic majority .-Cincinnati Times.

GEN. HARLAN, of Kentucky, is to have the vacant position on the Supreme Bench, and General Bristow the English mission. Partners in politics as well as law, a coolness is said, of late. to have spring up between them, in consequence of their tastes attracting each other toward the same bone. By the present happy arrangement, peace is now restored, and we wait to be informed that the State of Kentucky will be relectrified," and shortly drawn into the bosom of the Republican party.— Cincinnati Times.

PENNSYLVANIA must fight her buttle alone. She might have had the aid of the official count to decide. The balance of those who thought they knew it all; but now she must win or lose on her own merits. The situation there, however, is better, in many important respects, than it was in Ohio. There is no attempt in that State to "rubit in with pepper-sauce."-Cincinnati Times.

MR. SPURGEON says that one reason why he can't come to America is that the Scriptures do not allow a man to take a vacation of over forty days. and if he exceeds that time trouble of some kind is sure to follow. He said that [when Moses returned from his firrty days' retirement in the mount he found that his people had forgotten all about him and were worshipping a calf. And congregations are no better now than they were then. The best thing a days. minister can do is to stick to his work. Hence Spurgeon takes short vacations two or three times a year instead of one

TELEGRAPHIC.

THE ELECTION.

Ohio Democratic Details.

And the Greenbackers of lowa Loom Up.

A COUPLE MORE SAVINGS

DES MOINES, Oct. 10-Midnight-At this hour the State Register has definite reports from half the counties of the State, and partial returns from most of the others. It foots up the total vote of the State at 250,000, and says that Gear has 130,000, Irish 80,000. Stubbs 35,000, and Jessup, 5,000. It claims for Genr a clear majority over all. On the legislature the returns show 34 Republicans in the senate to 8 Democrats and 8 doubtful. Of these eight at least five will be Republicans. In the house, so far as reported definitely, the Republicans have 58, the Demoerats 20, the Greenbackers 3, and there are 19 not heard from. One-half of the latter will be Republicans. The Republiens majority on joint ballot is estimated at 80 -a Republican gain of 8.

DES MOINES, Oct. 10 .- Reports received to-day indicate that John H. Gear, Rup., will have a plurality over Irish, Dem., for governor, of 40,000 and a little more than that over Stubbs. Greenbacker. Returns from all parts of the State show unexpected strength for the Greenbackers, and the leading men of that party here are claiming, now, that their candidate for governor will have more votes than the Demoeratic candidate.

Town Crry, Oct. 10,-Specials reeived by Mr. Irish indicate that Gear will have only a plurality, not a majority, for governor. The Republican vote falls off largely in the banner counties Gear losing even Lynn; and Jessup and Stubbs draw largely from the Republieans. Democratic legislative gains are large, and there is much uneasiness amongst Republican politicians over the rapidly narrowing joint majority.

Columbus, Oct. 10 .- The Republican Committee have received very little news to-day, and all political information has to be "obtained from Democratic headquarters. The Democratic State Committee, up to this hour, have what are called official returns from half the counties of the State, and these show a net Democratic gain over the vote of last year of 16,578. Taking this as a basis they claim that Bishop's majority camot full below 25,000, and then think the full official count will give him 28. 000 or 30,000 majority. The Republican committee concede Bishop's election by 25,000.

The Democratic committee's figures on the general assembly are as follows: In the house the Democrats will have 67 members, the Republicans 39, and the Nationals or Workingmen 2. Democratic unipority, 26. In the sonate the Democrats will have 25 members, and the Republicans 10; a Democratic majority of 15. This will give the Demofrats a majority of 41 on joint ballot. It is not likely the full official count will materially change the legislative majorities chamed, or not more than 2 or 3 at most.

Cincinnati, Oct. 10.—Returns from 145 of the 147 voting precincts in this city, and 34 of the 40 county precincts, give Bishop 19.333; West, 16.272; Bond, 8.823. Henry C., Lord, Demoerat, for senator, over A. T. Goshorn, Republican, 2,035; "Cappellar, Republican for county auditor, over Hoffman, Democrat, 680; Huncke, Republican, for county treasurer, over Fratz, Democrat, 243. The Democrats seem to have elected their entire ticket, with the exception of Hoffman and Fratz. who were scratched for reasons other than

The Cazette concedes both branches of the legislature, and says that Bishop's majority will not be less than 20.000.

The Enquirer claims a majority on joint ballot of 25, thus securing the election of a Democratic Senator.

In this city the German Republicans largely voted the Workingmen's ticket. The workingmen claim that their ticket will foot up 11,000 votes, though it is not probable it will greatly exceed the

total above given. Cleveland, Oct. 10.—The returns from this county indicate that the Pemperats have elected the senator, one representative, prosecuting attorney, and, possiof the Republican ticket is elected by majorities from two to five hundred. The vote for governor is. West 11,315; Bishop, 10,401; Bond, 1,789; Johnson, 1.169.

Perranuma, Oct. 10,-The Franklin Savings Bank, on Federal street, Allegheny City, suspended, this morning. Since the suspension of the Allegheny Savings Bank the depositors have been withdrawing their funds and not replacing them. On Monday and Tucsday upward of \$60,000 was withdrawn, principally through the clearing house. A statement of the bank's condition will be published soon. There is now only about \$116,000 due depositors, and it is believed the bank can resume in a few

Buy one ton of block coul and try it, and you will never use any other kind.

PITTSBURG, PA., Oct. 10.—The Catholic Church on Troy Hill, in Allegheny, was fired by an incendiary early this morning, and nearly destroyed.— Examination showed that oil had been used to start the fire. The safe was broken open, and the contents carried off. They consisted of one gold watch and chain, one gold snuff box, one gold luna with diamonds, one gold ring with very large diamond, one gold chalice. one gold siborium, and one gold pyx,-The value of these articles is about \$5,000. Some valuable papers belonging to Pather Moullinger, the pastor, were also stolen. Chief Ross and his detectives are working up the case .-Several persons are suspected, but no arrests have been made.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 10.-The most intimate friends of the President sny he is not surprised at the result in Ohio; in fact, it was anticipated on the ground merely that the State for several years has been gradually becoming more and more friendly to the doctrine of inflation. Hard times also had an influence, and the Workingmen's ticket helped to benefit the Democrats, and this being the off year there was much indifference on the part of Republicans. The election could not be called a re bake to the administration, because the Demograts themselves claim to be in fayor of civil service reform and the Southern policy.

TERRE HAUTE, Oct. 10,-Senator Booth and Hon. Bayless W. Hanna left to-day for Washington. The latter goes to represent the interests of the Indianapolis and St. Louis railroad company against the claim of the State of Illinois for four years taxes. amounting to over \$90,000. He argues that the company is a foreign corporation not in the

Quincy, B.L., Oct. 10.—The German-American Bank, owned by Guslay Levi and Samuel Lessem, made assignment to John Dick this marning. Liabilities said to be about \$100,000; assets, including real estate and personal property, estimated at over \$150,000. The failure caused no excitement, depositors being assured that all claimes would be paid in full.—The proprietors say that the assignment was caused by heavy withdrawal deposits within the last thirty days. The failure had no effect on other banks. The assignment will publish a statement to-morrow morning, assuring the eroditors that the asset largely expected the liabilities.

Washington, Oct. 10—The President to-day accepted an invitation to attend the Virginia State Pair, Oct. 30. Secretary Sherman was on duty to-day

at the Treasury Department,

Congressman Sayler and his Obic friends are expected to-night, when the contest for speaker will continue with increased animation.

New York, Oct. 10.-The statement o Wm. M. Tweed, submitted a short time ago to Attorney General Fairchild, is made public, and gives the manes of twenty-one Senators paid for votes or si-

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Assignee's Notice.

DISTRICT COURT of the United States, Southern District of Histois.
The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of David M. Garver, of Pout County, Histois, who has been added bankrapt on his own petition.
RECIBEN B. MERIWEATHER, Oct 11689.
Assignee. Octobby

PECIAL NOTICE.

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Wednesday, the 31st day of October,
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at the hour of 2 nicked p. m. of said day, shall
sell at public atterion, to the highest bidder, for
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same section, township, &c., as above, containing ten (40) acres more or less, together with almid singular the tenements and hereditaments
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MASTER'S SALE.

Minon County Circuit Court.

William Grabill es, William H. Carnell, Mary E. Carnell and Porter Fuller | Foreclosure |

E. Carnell and Porter Fuller Polycoster.
DUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said Court at the August Term A. D. 1877, L. John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, or

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of CHARLES D. LOWRIE, Deceased.

Estate of CHARLES D. LOWRIS, Deceased,

N. BLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against
the estate of Chayles D. Lowrie, deceased, to
present the same for adjudention and settlement at a regular torm of the County Court of
Macon County, to be holden at the Court House
in the City of Decatur, on the Third Monday of
November, A. D. 1877, being the float day of
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OURSELF "ARGAND"

The Daily Republican.

THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 11, 1857.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WE ARE AUTHORIZED TO ANNOUNCE

J. A. Cussins as a candidate for County
superintendent of Schools. WE ARE AUTHORIZED TO ANNOUNCE John Trainer, of Pleasant View, as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools. V E ARE AUTHORIZED TO ANNOUNCE John E. Braden, of Harristown, as a can-didate for County Superinforment of Schools, WE ARE AIFHORIZED TO ANNOUNCE Captulo Willium Grason, of Oakley Town sldp, as a candidate for County Treasurer. WE ARE AUTHORIZED TO ANNOUNCE.
Heavy W. Waggoner as a condidate for asseluction to the office of County Clerk.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Asoriion frost this morning. NIEDERMEYER keeps the best brands o

To BE Abel to Sue and recover is the Hest Sine of successful feourting. Go to Newell & Hammer's for choice

H. Post is still setting American watches below list prices.

FOR a trip to the depot order Caldwell (libson is the presiding genius,

SLATE at Priest's hotel and at Caldwell's divery stable.

BURKETT & BULLARD have a full supply of superfor smoking and chewing tobacco, A TRUE on the street cars is not bad to

Throsk beautiful sets at Knieper's attract much attention. MR GEORGE SIMPSON, the burber, is

putting an addition to his dwelling, at the end of South Water street, and otherwise As passing about town yesterday after-

noon one could not fail to notice bow very busy our merchants were, LOOKOPP for the chills and lever while

the days are warm and the nights are We are happy to Jearn form physicians that at present there are no indications of a spread of searlet fever, one or two

-Reform Club to night, at Powers' Hall, A full attendance of members is desired, and others will receive a cordint welcome.

cases of which were reported a short time

As autuma advances business livens up end everything seems to be peak a much burger trade than last year.

This incoming trains on all the roads brought delegations from the rural distuets, who came in to do shopping.

Mic. WM. F. NDEDERBUTER was to-day (warded the contract for building the German Catholic Church.

TRANCS are still prowling about and wideling for chances to steal. Keep the doors and windows well secured, and thereby save your clothing and jewelry-possibly greenbacks, ton.

A course of countrymen, who took on Too much "benzhie" yesterdig afternoon, were the first persons we have seen intox rested for some days.

*A wicker and perverse generation seeketh a sign," etc. Major Abel can hardly be called the wicked and perverse "eneration," but he sought after a Sine, and tound it, loo.

Mr. W. H. Berme, the North Water street grocer, is doing a splendld business in his line. He keeps a large and excellent stock of groceries, and his sales have duriely increased during the present sea-

THE fruit and confection stand, on the southwest corner of Water and Prairie streets, which was burned out about two pot, which may be followed up by a more weeks ago, is being repaired and out in better condition than before the fire. It siness done there as time and space may is to be re-occupied, we understand, by permit, The same parties who dispensed sweetments there before,

Tite boulevards, on East Main street, has been graveled, have been sown with grass seed instead of being sodded, and fine start. The seeding process is of course much cheaper than sodding, and we browning will in time make just as handsome a lawn.

Du. A. C. Donobass, who has purchus d the drug store of time & Son, intends to remove his stock of drugs and meditimes from his old stand, on North Water street, to the popular location named above. The Doctor is not only an accomplished and competent druggist, but a most worthy man as well, and we hope to see him succed.

GET RID of middle men who pay the jobber profits that should go to the consuppers. This you can only do by purthisling of Linn & Seruggs, who get all tives of Mrs. N. They expect to be gone carpets, oil cloths and muttings directly about three weeks. from the manufacturers and importers. Their stock is larger; their assortment superior; their prices lower; and their sales greater than any other house in Cen-Dal Illinois. They have no shop-worn, moth caten goods on hand, and as it requires but a small percent to conduct this branch in connection with their already understood by all present without further well-established business, they are able and determined to compete with the best houses of the largest eltles. Oct. 11---dif

Masonie, -- Special communication of Macon Lodge, No. 8, A., F. and A. Masons, this (Thursday) evening, at 7 o'clock, sharp, for work in the third degree. Members of Ionic Lodge and visiting brethren in good standing, cordially W. W. FOSTER, W. M.

A Maron Thirf -- Yesterday a fellow was brought from Oakley on a mittimus from a Justice there, for committal to juil on a charge of having stolen salt from a itate on his doings until the meeting of ment of Liun & Scruggs, on our first grocery store in that burg. He is to medthe grand Jury at the December term of page. Well, that big advertisement is land Floss, Germantown Yarn, and every the grand jury at the December term of past suited to their big stock of goods, other kind of yarn, you will find all down for some time, either in the jail or which the ladies of Decatur and vicinity colors and a very large stick, at

Observations on Persons and Things,

AT THE DEPOT.

At nearly all hours of the day and alght the Union depot of this city is a husy place. As trains now run there are but few hours when carriages and street cars are not waiting upon the cars from to him. one direction or another. Besides the passenger trains, freight cars are constantly moving to and fro about the yard, and passing in different directions. On the platform most of the time are travclers, carpet-sack in hand, waiting to

board the trains as they come in, and it

this centre of travel. Walking southward on the platform lying east of the central track, we come to the baggage room, where Mr. William Dodson, the superintendent of baggage for all the roads, is busy with his subordinates, checking trunks and packages to go upon the next train. Here, also, is the American Express office, with its messengers and delivery clerks, all busy getting their packages ready for shipment.

er's office of the Central Road, where Mr. own hand, In the waiting rooms are found the

ticket offices of the Wabash and Central roads, and of the lines under their control. At the first moned, the gentlemanty ticket vender, Mr. Charley Brown, will ing her with a gold-fined silver card sell you a pass to any point embraced in the route from the Athantle to the Pacific will give you anything you want in the line of tickets over his road

At the proper hours Col. N. A. White, proprietor of the Central House, and his gentlemanly clerks, will be found waiting to conduct the weary traveler, as he alights from the train, to a well-spread tuble in the dining hall. Passing out at the north door of the

waiting room, and going east, we come to the office of R. L. Perry, the road master of the Wabash, and sometimes one meets this genial gentleman in front of his office, or moving about the platform, though his duties take him from the city quite a portion of the time. Here, also, is the United States Express office, which is a regular bee-hive on the arrival and departure of trains

Passing a little further east the office of the L. D. & S. roud is reached, where Mr. George E. Lary is in charge as freight and passenger agent, who has a pleasant

Bidding the last named gentleman good | county jail. morning, just step across the Central track and pass along the platform in a westerly direction a short distance, and the offices of the Wabash road are reached, where Mr. K. Harwood is the head centre, managing affairs with an case and effleiency that show him to be the right mun to the right place. He has also a very polite and competent corps of clerks, with whom it is a pleasure to be acquaint-

On the other side of the Wabash track and a little to the east, are the freight office and depot of the Wabash, the latfor being altogether too small. for the immense business done by the road. Here will be found another corps of efficient clerks, but all under the charge and direction of Mr. Harwood.

In the north wing of this same building will be found the freight offices of the Central road, in charge of C. O. Judson, who is also a very genial and competent gentleman, and who has the good fortune to have called around him very pleasant and efficient assistants.

The foregoing is only a mere outline of the situation of affairs at the Union Dedefinite statement of the amount of bu-

PERSONAL.

Hon W. J. Henry, of Shelbyville, is in town, stopping at the St. Nicholasi
t. W. Ehrman and D. R. Alexander

The Popular Clothier of the West,
Cor. E. Main and Water St., Decadur, Ill

have returned from Cincinnati. They were there on election day, and say it dedbted to Mr. A. for a copy of the Cla-

chmati Times of last evening. The Cheyenne Leader, of Oct. 2 says: "James M. Irwin is dangerously ill." Mr. lewln has many acquaintances in Decatur, having resided here for a number of

Rev. W. D. Best, late pastor at Stapp's Chapel, is preparing to leave for Tuscola, his new charge. He will go over on Saturday to preach in his new place, and return early by next week to remove his

W. B. Newell and family left this moraing for Moberly, Mo., to visit the rela-O. C. Sharp, Esq., of Lincoln, is in town,

and called to see us this afternoon, HARD(L)V3

At the residence of one of our Hardy yeomanry, this morning, one of our Best citizens made a certain Sine, Abel to be

Hays & Bartholomew have a new advortisement in to-day's paper, and it is cheerful reading, too. Everybody likes to hear where they can get bargains, and 11. & B. say they are prepared to dispense a larger amount of bargain to the dollar than ever before.

Attention, Hook & Ladder Co .- This company will meet for practice this evening at half-past 7 o'clock, sharp. A full attendance is requested. D. H. CLOYD, Foreman.

J. M. EHBMAN, Sec'y.

Look at It—The mammoth advertise should not fail to sec.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE. A Surpriser Surprised.

Yesterday was Mrs. Professor Goodman's birthday, and the good lady thought she would celebrate it by perpetrating a pleasant joke upon her leige lord, in the shape of a surprise party and supper In order to the successful carrying out of the plan, the members of the

band, of which Professor Goodman is leader, were let into the secret, and in order to secure his absence from home, he was asked to meet the boys at his hall for practice, which he did. Here they reis an interesting study for one to watch mained until about ten o'clock, when one the movements of people and things at of the members suggested that they go out to serenade a few families. On leaving the hall the boys led the way to the Professor's house, on West Eldorado st., which, greatly to his astonishment, was brilliantly illuminated throughout. Upon entering there were found present several friends of the family, who had come in to extend their congratulations to Mrs. Goodman, and in the dining-room was found a large table spread with all the dainties and luxuries of the season, which In close proximity is the train dispatch- had been prepared by Mrs. Goodman's In the course of the evening the tables were turned upon the good lady of the

house in a way which placed her in the

position of the surprised instead of the

surpriser, by the friends present presentreceiver, which was received with the modesty and grace for which the lady is ocean, and at the other Alderman Nichols noted. An hour or two were spent in social chat, when the party separated with pleasant recollections of the hour, The REPUBLICAN office was remembered with generous samples of cake from the A Thieving Tramp Captured,-Yesterday afternoon a tramp entered the residence of Mrs. Bradley, (widow of the late Samuel Bradley), in the southeast part of town, under the prefense of having polish and other notions to sell. Mrs. B. was absent at the time, and as there-

were only a couple of small children in the house, the fellow took to a cont. a. pair of boots, and some other articles of clothing. Mrs. Bradley came home just as the thief was leaving the house with his plander, which caused him to leave a part of it in the shed. Word was carried to the police, who were soon on his track, and cuptured blue before night. He was taken before Justice Peake, where he way of doing his business with the pub. was held to ball in the sum of \$300, in default of which he was committed to the

A Fine Dwelling, -- The fine new residence of Mr. George Haworth, at the corner of Franklin and Eldorado streets, looms up as it approaches' completion. and while the house is being finished the grounds are being put in order to cerrepond with the building; shrubbery is being set, and the walks are to be so arranged as to give the pleasantest possilife effect, as viewed from the streets upon which the yard corners. It is always a pleasure to speak of enterprises. of this kind, as they beautify the town and help to make it attractive to strangers. We hope that another season may witness the erection of more fine dwellings. than have been put up this year.

A Hundred Cents on the Dollar is what we give to all who trade with us, for our goods are worth all we ask for them; and if any customer is ever dissatished in any way, we always make it right. So if you want any ready-made clothing for yourself or boys, we would invite you to look at our stock before you purchase, for we can show you the largest and best stock of ready-made clothing ever shown in this city, all new, and of our own make; therefore we are able to sell at lower prices than other dealers,-We are the manufacturers, and both make and sell the best clothing in the whole West.

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Oct. 10---d&wff A Full Assortment of ladies' side lace

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degant stock of Jewelry and Silverwage in the city. Always see his stock before rou buy-it will pay you. Oct, 10--d4d

Dan't buy a Clock until von have seen the immense selection kept by Otto E. Curtis. His prices are always low, and his stock the best in the city. Oct. 10---d4d : :

Wood's Oyster Parler is the place to get an elegant dish of oysters nicelyр жезж лисе) 8opt, 10—dtf -----

tiems of the Season.-In Lowell, Hartford, Glen Echo, and other superior makes of Ingrains, and English, French and American Brussels and Velvet Carpets, just received at

Sept. 20-d&wif Lany & Serveus.

Gorman Evening School,-An evening school for instruction in German, including reading, writing and grammar, will be opened in the office of Mr. Huesh, in the third story of Powers' Block, on Monday evening, October 15th, by Mr. Overdor-∐Oct. 8--d2m

Located.-We have received a late paper from Cheyenne, in which appears a notice to the effect that our truant confectioner and former gay Lothario, George P. Miller, has located in that city, and opened a restaurant and lodging house. George is "a good one." Berlin Zephyr, Shetland Wool, Shet-

Gorbbero,

For the Republican.

DARKNESS. BY MRS. M. L. GAIN.

l spring from the womb of primeral gloom That shrouded the chaos of earth:

From my bowels of night was been the light That gilded the young world's birth. is the gorgeons day, in arrogant away,

Usurps the realms of man, Enfolded in cloud, like an elon shroad, I rest where I first begun.

With the light appears earth's toils and care Which I still in my shrub/rous breast: To the soul of grief I bring relief Bid the heart of sorrow rest.

Over scenes of blood where men have stood Contending for human life. And slienced the voice of strife

summons sweet sleep to those that weep; I lighten the mourner's wee; curtain I draw where daylight saw Mortality suffering so.

strengthen the brain of Truth's great train Who seek in the silent night. When my midnight shade o'er earth is laid. The Truth which flies the light.

Fo millions who toll for labor's speil Do I bring a sweet repose; I drive grim death from the pestilent's breath And toy with the sleeping rose, carry to rest on Eternity's brensi

The sorrow and shr of day; In a momental train of trayall and pain I marshal them all away. The Goddess of Love smiles down from above For Love in my bosom sleeps; I hear the song of the amorous throng

Who Love's sweet vigit keeps,

Peace comes as a little chibt.

When the storm of nurest on the fair Earth's brenst Is lashed like the ocean wild, I bend from my throne, and looking down,

My hold I keep in the vasty doop. The monsters of the sea.
Who with mudness bring the wild storm king. Are subject unto me,

Yet I sink to rest in the quivering brenst Of the liniest flower that blooms; And the love-blois croon in sweeter tune As my denser presence glornos

I waft the prayer of a mud despair To a listening Father's enr, And treasure its worth as falls to earth The recording angel's tear. When our gracious Lord, 'mid an angry horde Was pierced by the ernel snear.

amp to the earth in terrible wrath, While guilt grew faint with fear. carried Christ's prayer, as it fell on the air, Up - up to His Father's Throne, And shielded the grace of His mother's face As she wept at His feet alone.

When the angel of God, with fire and sword, Drove the faller woman Torth From the garden of light, my mantle of alche Hid the stricken from his wrath,

And when, in despuir, from that Paradise fair I crept to her side in the wilderness wide And wept o'er her penitent hend,

When Time disuppears in its cycles of years And men to eternity move, I will cover the earth, as I did at its hirth, With a mantle of pitying lave, Decerna, Int., Oct. 7th, 1877.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Librarian's Report for August and September.

No. books loaned...

Strawberry and Ice Cream Festivals are now among the things of the past, and the song of the Overen is heard in the land. Churches and societies contemplating oyster suppers, will find Rev. and Mrs. Locke. A. Booth's brand of fresh Oysters, so long. The bridal presents were numerous. and favorably known, to be superior in [and included several from the children of

see me, at 21 South Main street. Oct. 11--d8d wi A. H. IMBODEN. Blunkets and Flannels, bought in large

quantities of the manufacturer, and which day or two, going from thence to Cinein-Sept. 27-d&wif Link &

The Great Popularity of the "Old Dominion" Buck Gloves and Gauntlets has induced parties, both in Decatur and surrounding towns, to sell inferior gloves FOUND AT LAST under this name. None are genuine unless stamped "Geo. II. Ott" on the inside,

and to be had only of Oct. 2—d&wif Linn & Screoos. Organs to Rent, by C. B. Prescott, Office at Hand's book store, first door west of the Postoffice.

June 40—dif The Indiana Coal Company keeps all kinds of coal. Principal office at Crisey's tobucco store, two doors west of the Postoffice. Call and examine our price

ist. |Aug. 27-dif An Immense Stock of gents' underwear, from 50 cents a set up to the finest grades, at Oct. 5-d4w

If you want to buy, sell or trade for a tove, call at Аянву'я, Oct. 8-d&w2mo The Latest Styles in Ties, Ruches,

Cuffs and Collars, at Colunt cha's. Oct. 11—d&wtf Ladles' Clonks-very cheap; also Children's Circulars, at Goldbung's.

Home-made Stockings, for children, misses and ladies, very cheap, at Oct. Pl-dwwif Goldburgs.

You can get pure gum boots at Barber

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Oct. 11-d&wif

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Have you been to the Farmers' Store, 37 North Church street, and looked over the stock of Groceries, Queens, Glass, Wood, Willow and Hard Wares that are to be exchanged for beef, pork, batter, lard, eggs, corn, oats, wood and green-E. B. PHATT. backs?

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life, "the best the market affords" pre-

sents little or no attractions. The sooner such a hapless individual puts the gastric organ in a condition to enjoy the edible comforts which a bountiful Providence has provided, the more reason there will be to feel the grateful for the suggestion. To do this invigorate the stomach with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which will enable that organ to digest properly, and, since good digestion is the parent of appetite, give birth to a desire for food at intervals appointed by nature. Such chronic want of appetite are usually associated nervousness, biliousness and constipation, three evils which are specdily overcome by the Bitters. All persons of a dyspeptic or billious tendency should use this healthful tonic daily, or at least three or four times a week. A pursuance of this course will soon insure and confirm a radical change for the better in the condition of the stomach and associate organs. [Oct. 8-dend&wty

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(though hard to get and slippery to bold,) is the ONE THING NUMBER. Say, friend, have you got it? If not, you will find comfort and consolation by taking the Old Reliable Hannibal & St. Joseph R. R. en route to the San Juan Mines of Colopido and New Mexico, or to the BLACK HILLS. Rich discoveries have recently been made in the above mining regions, showing that the past is THERE, and free to all for the taking. The undersigned is prepared to furnish transportation for LARGE OR SMALL parties through to Cra-TER CITY or DEADWOOD, either via Omaha or Denver, at the lowest possible rates,-For the Black Hills buy tickets only to Cheyenne, and fit out for the mines from there. For San Juan, ticket to Pueblo or El Moro.

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At 10 s. m., Thursday, Oct. 11th, at the residence of George P. Hardy, Esq., 64 West Main street, by Rev. W. D. Best, Hon. Thomas J. Abell and Miss See H. Sine, both of this city.

The guests present were mainly rela-

quality of stock and filling of cans to the groom. Among the most noticeable any other. Special inducements to and highly appreciated was a very handchurches, societies and clubs. Call and some boquet, arranged and presented by Mrs. S. Horland After partaking of a splendid collation

the happy couple left on the noon train. for 8t. Louis, where they will remain a nall, and returning home the caming congratulations to Major and Mrs. Abel. and wish them a long and happy life,

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MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, (SS. MACON COUNTY, SS.

Macon County Cheuil Court. Hickman E. Fostor vs. John Rinehart and Mary Rinehart - Mechanic's Lien. DUBLIC NOTICE is beenly given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled came in said court at the August term. A. D. 1877, I. John A. Brown, Muster in Chancery for said court.

On Tuesday, the 30th day of October, A. D. 1877,

MASTER'S SALE.

Macon County Circuit Court.

Auton County Curvate vands.
Lowhor Indraws, vs. Samual S. Carpentor, ex-ceutor, Mary Wright, Abigail Clark, Philo Smith, Ruth A. Hull, Soom Smith, Samuol Smith, Jane Coe, William T. Downs, Catharine Provers, Augulia Wutkins, Nancy Pugdey, Losannalt C. Shen and John G. Shen. In

Chargery.

DUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in parsumace of a decretal order entered in the above curified cause in said court at the May Term, A. D. 1875, 1, John A. Hrown, Muster in Chargery for said court, on

Wednesday, the 31st day of October, A. D. 1877,

Hobel to redemption. HOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon nounty, Ill. Decatur, Ill., Oct. 1, 1877 (2001)

CHANCERY NOTICE.

H. Pasco, Complainant's Solleftor, Decutur, III., Sept. 27, 1877-04w.

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DISTRESS FOR RENT

To the December Term of the Macon County Ulreal Court, A. D. 1877.

Joseph H. Axton vs. A. S. Stennett Distress for cent.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of CHARLES D. LOWRIE, Deceased

MASTER'S SALE.

Mason County Circuit Court.
William Grabill vs. William H. Carnell, Mary E. Carnell and Portor Fuller Forcelosity.

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A. D. 1877,
at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of suid day, shall
self at public anction, to the highest hidder, for
cash, at the West door of the Court House, in
Decatur in said county, the fullowing described
real estate situatio in the county of Manon and
State of Hilmols, towil: Lot number seven (5)
of the east half of the northwest quarter of
section number mine (6), in township number
seventeen (17) north, range number four (4) east
of third principal meridian, containing ten (10)
acros, more or less; and also lea number six (6)
of the east half of the northwest quarter of
same section, township, &c., as shove, containing ten (10) acres more or less, tegether with all
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sold subject to redemption.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. (11, 1876.
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STATE OF HAINOIS, (ss., MACON COUNTY,)

The Daily Republican.

A TRAMP'S MAXIMS.

Detroit Free Press. In the hip pocket of an old vagrant, pulled in by the police the other night, was a memorandum book full of his own writing, with pencil, and some of his philosophy is good enough to be

A. D. 1817,
at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, shall
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Decatur, III., Oct. 3, 87;

Master in Chameery for Macon Co., 11,
121, 2 639. preserved. His first paragraph reads: "Drinking bad whisky because it is offered free is like getting in the way of bullets purchased by an enemy." A second reads:

"Honesty is the best policy, but some folks are satisfied with second best. It's hard to be honest on an empty stom

A third runs: A dry plank under a rain proof shed is better than a feather bed in juil, and one is not annoyed by the jailor bringing in a square breakfast.

A fourth says: "Pay as you go. If you haven't anything to pay with, don't go. If you are forced to go, record every indebtedness, and let your heirs settle the hills."

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The seventh and last was noted down as follows: ·When you pick up an apple core do of find fault because it is not the upple itself, but be satisfied with the grade of descent. Do not be ashamed of your

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A PFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above mined defendants, Launa J. Wood and Charles L. Wood, having been filled in the office of the clerk of the Chreatt Court of Macon county, Himols, Notice is hereby given to the said inneresidents, Launa J. Wood and Charles L. Wood, that the said Frank McCormick, complainant in the above mined cause, has herebfore filled life certain bill of complaint in soid court, on the charcery she thereof, and that a summons in said cause has been issued against you the said morresidents, debendants, returnible at the caurt house, in the city of December, and court, of Macon, Ellinos, on the first Monday in the month of December. A. D. 1875, which said cause is still pending in said court.

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